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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2004, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered and that the rejection of claims in the application be reconsidered and withdrawn.